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## PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.136

Please extend the period for response to the action dated August 19, 2008, for three months to and including February 19, 2009.

The fee in the amount of \$1,110.00 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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